

## Branch Lines of Kotlas Vorkuta Railroad

<u>Lines a/</u>	<u>Kilometers</u>
Kotlas - Kirov	379
Mikun' - Vezhayka b/	30 (estimate)
Seyda - Labytnangi c/	196
Vorkuta - Khal'mer-Yu d/	60 (estimate)

a. The construction of an additional branch from Ukhta to Solikamsk is projected for the period, 1960-70.

b. The construction of an extension of this line northward to Koslan by 1960 is now under way. During the 1960-70 period, the line is to be further extended to Mesen'. From Milan' a rail connection to Syktyvkar is under construction.

c. The Salekhard-Igarka line may be considered a further extension of the Seyda-Labytnangi branch, but the former is believed to be operational only in its westernmost section, between Salekhard and Yangiyugan.

The Seyda-Labytnangi line at a point to the west of Labytnangi (possibly Podgornaya) is to be joined by a railroad constructed northward from Polunochnoye in the period 1960-70. At the present time, rail branches and/or spurs may be under construction in the vicinity of Pol'yarnyy Ural, a station on the Seyda-Labytnangi line.

d. An extension of the Vorkuta - Khal'mer-Yu branch to Kara is now under construction, and it is possible that the line will be further extended to Anderna at a later date.

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